service. The State Government is also competent to take action against officers of the All India services when they are working in connection with affairs of the State. The information relating to the number of officers in different cadres against whom action has been taken is not maintained centrally.

Apart from taking disciplinary action under relevant rules the provisions of FR 56(j) read with rule 16(3) of AIS(DCRB) Rules, 1958 and Rule 48 of Central Civil Services Pension, Rules, 1972, are also invoked by Government to weed out Government servants, who have out-lived their utility and have becocome ineffective as also those whose integrity is doubtful. This is a continuous process. The objective of these special provisions is to improve the efficiency and strengthen the administrative machinery at all levels of the Government and to provide a clean administration.

Dangers of Global climatic changes

*385. SHRI B. K. HARIPRASAD: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to an article which appeared in the Network of April 1990 on the dangers of Global climate changes;

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction in the matter;

(c) whether it is a fact that recent Cyclone in the Eastern Coast is a part of the danger of climatic changes; and

(d) what policy/programme changes are proposed in this area in reducing Ozone hole and greenhouse effect?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS SMT. MANEKA GANDHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The extent of global changes which may occur has not been established scientifically.

(c) No, Sir. Occurance of cyclonic storms in the Indian seas in pre-monsoon and post-monsoon seasons is a usual feature and is not a result of any climatic change.

(d) India's contribution to any possible global change is negligible. However, India is studying all aspects of global change carefully and participating in international discussions periodically held with the objectives of protection of ozone layer and management of climate change.

Jha Report on Electronics and Computer Education in Hindi Medium

*386. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the salient recommendations of the Jha Report on Electronics and Computer education in Hindi Medium;

(b) what follow-up action has been taken on this Report; and

(c) what measures have been taken to ensure availability of well trained teachers, books, manuals and laboratory experiments for these programmes and with what results separately?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (PROF). M.G.K. MENON): (a) The salient recommendations of the Jha Report on Computer Education in Hindi medium include: starting computer courses in Hindi, developing instructional material and soft-